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Previous references.
Stamps 7-20(1-2)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Four.

Part B for February 1922.

SUBJECT.

Administration Report of the Stamps Department for the year 1920-21.

8(3) To the Comm.r of Stamps, the Comptroller. The Dy. Comm.r of Sts. No. J. 2509-17 of 22.11.21. Recd the report with the Govt. reviews thereon.

8(4) To the Secy to the Resident No. pol 755 of 15.2.22 Forwarded two copies of the above report.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Stamps)

NOTES.

File No. 17-21

FILE HEADING.

Report on the working of the Stamp department for the year 1920-21.

From Mohammed Yamin, Stamps, Mysore

No. Rh. 25/20-21 Dated 5th October 21 Received 7. 9. 21

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submitting the administration report on the working of the Stamp Dept. for the year 1920-21

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Submit with a draft forwarding a copy of the report and statements to the Govt. Printing for being set in type and have copies ready. One copy of the report & statements will be sent to the Statistical Branch

NOTES—First Sheet.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Stamp File No. 17 of 1921

Serial No.

The report will be submitted for the draft review after issue.

2 Yrs - Issue req. 12.10.21

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The Supdt. Govt. Printing
No. 2090 of 18.10.21.

Forwards the above report for being set in type and have 250 Copies thereof kept ready for being bound & supplied.

Subject: There is a decrease in the receipts under Stamp revenue on account of the extent of the exemptions & remission of Stamp duties granted in respect of Co-operative Societies, University & other institutions mentioned.

No notarial Stamps have been sold during the year, as the stock of that Stamp is the same as per last year, tho' Negotiable Instruments Regn is in force.

4 The Probate & Administration Regn is in force, but no note of the number of applications received is made

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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4	The inspection work still not adequate. 5 Draft revised for appl orders 6 Mess. Keeper clean draft & submit to Res. Secy Cuq 22/10/21 24/10
	7 clean draft put up Res. Secy Cuq 25.10.21
2656/29/10	3rd member 27.10.21 Cuq 28/10
	8 The meaning of last paragraph is not clear. Whether the persons mentioned in it are subordinate 1/11/21 3rd
2589/8/11	9 Draft revised & put up herewith. A column is also added as per last para (vide H Cr) 5/11 3rd member Cuq 7.11.21
	10 Draft to be put up finally as revised. The Mess Keeper Assistant Cooks & Cleaners & Sweepers 2 - - - may be revised 9/11/21

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Revenue File No. 17 of 1921

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11 Submitted after making the necessary alterations

3rd Member) Cag 10.11.21

Dewan) Cag 11.11

12.11.21

13 Issue when prepd for submission to His Highness. Cag 14.11.

3 Do.

The Comr. of Stamps
The Comptroller
The Dy. Comr. of Ob.
No. J. 2509-17 of 22.11.21.
Record the report with the general review thereon.

14 Issued & recd back with D. Dept.

Cag 28.11.21 29/11/21

15 Please prepd attested copy.

Cag 29.11

16 Typed draft sched C.D.7.N.

Cag 29.11.21 29/11

3rd Member) Cag 29.11

17 Submitted with D. S. note.

Dewan) 1/12 Cag 1/12

STAMPS OFFICE. Recd. on NOV 19 1921 Reg. No. 2733

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DEWAN'S OFFICE. Recd. on DEC 1921 Reg. No. 3265

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Final Note by the Third Member of Council.

Subject:-

Review of Government on the report of the working of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

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I beg to submit herewith for His Highness' gracious perusal the review of Government on the report of the working of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

W & V

5th December 1921.
Bangalore.

Member of Council.

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith, for His Highness' gracious perusal, a final note by the Third Member of Council regarding the Government Review on the Administration Report of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

16th Dec. 1921

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

Review on the administration report of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

Order.

C. No. 12

21) ~~KRW~~
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22) Sy to Hon'ble Chief Minister
Chief Secretary
Revenue
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Hon'ble Minister
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No. Per 25/20-21

Office of the Commissioner of Stamps
in Mysore,
Dated, Bangalore, 5th/6 October 1921.

From

P. F. Bowring Esquire.,J.P.,
Offg. Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e .

GEN & REV. SECT.
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REVENUE SECRETARIAT
- OCT 1921

To

D. Srinivasa Iyengar Esq.,B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, B a n g a l o r e .

Sir,

I have the honor to submit herewith the following - Report on the working of the Stamp Department in the State in triplicate for the Year 1920-21 together with the prescribed - statistical statements in duplicate.

2. Mr.K.Chandy B.A., was in charge of the Department - throughout the year except during the period of his privilege leave of one month and thirteen days from 9th August 1920 to 21st September 1920 and of 23 days from 17th May 1921 to 8th June 1921 when Mr.K.R.Srinivasa Iyengar M.A.,Revenue Commissioner and Mr.B.Shamanna B.A.,L.C.E.,the Office Assistant were respectively in charge of the Department.

3. Important changes during the Year under report are - (1) All Assistant Commissioners in charge of Sub-Divisions, Personal Assistants to the Deputy Commissioners and District - Treasury Officers have been appointed Deputy Commissioners in respect of the powers conferred under Sections 16-18-31-32-38-39 40-41-42-48-49-53-56-61 and 73 of the Stamp Regulation within

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the limits of their respective jurisdictions, all Amildars also being appointed Deputy Commissioners in respect of the powers conferred under Sections 16 and 18 (2) of the said Regulation within the limits of their respective jurisdictions. (2) Rule 25 and Clause 2 of Rule 70 of the Rules ~~the~~ the Control, Manufacture, Custody, supply and sale of Stamps have been amended so as to require only one year's stock of Stamps to be maintained in the Central Depot instead of two years' supply and the places and hours of sale of Stamps by stamp vendors being fixed by the Deputy Commissioner and entered in them licenses granted to the Vendors. Clause (w) of Appendix B to the Rules issued under the Stamp Regulation with Notification No. R. 10693--St.16-20-3 dated 28th March 1921 was also amended so as to authorise the Superintendent of Stamps to affix impressed labels not only to the transfers of the description mentioned in Clauses (c & d) of Article 60 of Schedule I of the Stamp Regulation but also to those of the description mentioned in clause (a) of the said Article.

4. S t o c k Branch :- The opening balance of Plain water-marked paper used for the manufacture of General, Court-fee, Receipt and Copy Stamps was 16,14,860 sheets and 23,71,187 sheets were added to the stock this Year, thus bringing the total stock to 39,86,047 sheets. Of these 7,80,590 sheets were issued to the Government Stamp Manufactory for printing stamps, leaving ~~about~~ a balance of 32,25,457 sheets at the close of the Year.

5. The opening balance of Three-pie-paper was 41,880 sheets. 15,360 sheets were received from the Local Depots in the Districts and added to stock during the year making a total of 57,240. There was no issue of Three-pie-paper during the Year under report.

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10. Stamp Revenue :- The revenue derived from the sale of Stamps of the various kinds and denominations amounted to Rs. 16,16,030-4-3 as against Rs. 16,65,110-12-6 in the previous year thus resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 49,080-8-3. There has been a marked decrease under the head General Stamps which is due to the tightness in the money market and the high rate of interest demanded on loans and a large amount of money invested in the State Loan of 1920 and in various Joint Stock enterprises. All these causes seem to have brought about a decrease in the number of documentary transactions.

11. Court-fee Stamps :- The receipts from the sale of Court-fee Stamps are Rs. 81,26,74-14-0 as against Rs. 82,34,84-15-0 during the previous year thus showing a decrease of Rs. 10,810-1-0. The decrease noticeable in all the Districts except Bangalore and Shimoga, and these are said to be due to the small number of suits instituted in the Courts owing to unfavourable seasonable conditions.

12. General Stamps :- The sale of General Stamps brought in Rs. 620,329-2-0 during 1920-21 as against Rs. 6,83,341-13-0 in 1919-20. The decrease of Rs. 63,012-11-0 is rather large and is contributed by all the Districts. This decrease is reported to be due to the economic conditions ruling at present which after the forced activities caused by the War, are assuming steady and normal proportions.

13. Receipt Stamps :- The sale of Receipt labels yielded during the year Rs. 48,697-0-0 as against 44085-14-0 in the previous year showing an increase of Rs. 4611-2-0.

14. Copy Stamps :- The receipts under Copy -

Stamps

Stamps amounted to Rs.51945-8-0 as against Rs. 47701-14-0, - resulting in an increase of Rs. 4243-10-0 which is said to be due to a greater demand for copies by the public than last year.

15. Share Transfer,Foreign Bill and Hundi Stamps :- The receipts under these stamps amounted to Rs. 15,313-12-0 as - against Rs. 17,487-2-0 in the previous year, resulting in a decrease of Rs. 2173-6-0.

16. Stamp Duty and fines etc.,:- There has been an - increase of Rs. 23,646-12-9 under stamp duty and a decrease of Rs. 140-0-9 under Fines,Penalties and Miscellaneous. The -- increase in the former is due to (1) the increased realisations in the Stamp Superintendent's Office on account of - impressing a large number of instruments, cheque and Receipt Books etc.,(2) the large number of documents impounded and adjudicated by the Deputy Commissioners & (3) the stamp - duties recovered by the Courts on a large number of unstamped and insufficiently stamped documents.

17. E x p e n d i t u r e :- The total expenditure - in the Department amounted during the Year under report to Rs. 11,90,94-2-2 as against Rs. 104,388-10-9 in 1919-20 thus - showing a net increase of Rs. 14,705-7-5. This is mainly due to the purchase of Water-marked papers, to the unfavourable rate of exchange and increased freight and clearing charges and also to the high price allowances paid to the officials of the Department. The decrease under Fines and Penalties is too small to call for any remarks.

18. I n s p e c t i o n s :- All the offices in the Chitaldrug District except Harihar Deputy Amildar's Court and almost all in the Districts of Kolar, Tumkur, Kadur, Hassan and Shimoga Districts were inspected by the - - -

Ex-officio

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Ex-officio Inspectors of Stamps during the Year under report A large number of offices remained uninspected in the - - - remaining Districts. The Commissioner of Stamps inspected the Stamp Superintendent's Office on 13th and 14th May 1921.

19. P r o s e c u t i o n s :- . It is reported that no prosecution was instituted during the Year under report for the evasion of Stamp Laws.

20. The Superintendent of Stamps and the Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory continued to work satisfactorily.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Offg.Commissioner of Stamps

in Mysore .

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5/10/21.

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SUBJECT Annual Administration Report
on the Stamp Debit for 20-21

Diary No. of letter replied to 1500/J

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 18/10/21

Signed by M. Cas

Section Stamps

File No. 17-21

Serial No. 1

No. 2090 Genl

To

The Superintendent Govt Printing

Sir

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the annual report on the working of the Stamp Debit for 20-21, together with the Statistical Statements for being printed in type and have 250 copies thereof printed (after necessary examination of the proof by the departments concerned) for being bound and supplied

over.

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ISSUE
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RESUBMIT.

Proceedings of the Government of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read:-

Letter No. Per 25/20-21 dated 5/6th October 1921 from the Commissioner of Stamps submitting a report on the working of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

Order No. J 2509-17
Dated Bangalore, 22/11/21

Recorded.

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The expenditure rose from Rs. 1,04,388-10-9 to Rs. 1,19,094-3-2 or by Rs. 14,705 7-5 due to the purchase of water marked papers, the unfavourable rate of exchange and the payment of high price allowances to the officials of the Department. The following important measures were adopted during the year--

(1) All the Assistant Commissioners in charge of Sub Divisions, Personal Assistants to Deputy Commissioners, and District Treasury officers were invested

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Deputy Commissioners concerned will see that all the offices in their Districts are inspected during the current year and that all the offices are inspected once in the year by the officers concerned.

~~The year on the whole was one of decline.~~

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Secretary to Government,
Rev. Deptt.

To

The Commissioner of Stamps.
The Comptroller to Govt.
The Deputy Commissioners of Dts.
PRESS TABLE.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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O r d e r No. J 2809-17/86.17-21-3

Dated Bangalore, the 22 (22) November 1921.

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6. It is peculiarly noticeable that not one notarial stamp was sold during the year though the Negotiable Instruments Regulation is in force in the State and all Sub Registrars are appointed Notaries Public.

7. It is observed that a large number of offices in the Bangalore and Mysore Districts remained uninspected during the year in spite of the observations of Government on this point in last year's review. This is unsatisfactory. It is hoped that the Deputy Commissioners concerned will exercise more vigilance in the matter and see that in future no office remains uninspected.

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Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

To

The Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore.

The Comptroller to Government.

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

PRESS TABLE.

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Section Stamps

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To

Date of issue 15-2-1922

Signed by C. Venkataraman

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith copy of the Report on the working of the Stamp Department in Mysore for the year 1920-21 together with the Govt review thereon.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Secretary to Government.

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REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE STAMP DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1920-21,

WITH THE GOVERNMENT REVIEW THEREON.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. J. 2509-17—St. 17-21-3, dated 22nd November 1921.

Report of the Stamp Department.

Reviews the Administration — for the year 1920-21.

READ—

Letter No. Per. 25--20-21, dated 5-6th October 1921, from the Commissioner of Stamps, submitting a report on the working of the Stamp Department for the year 1920-21.

ORDER No. J. 2509-17—ST. 17-21-3, DATED 22ND NOVEMBER 1921.

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D. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Rev. Dept.

To—The Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
PRESS TABLE.

WD 1088 GPB—7-12-21—295

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STAMPS,
IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 5—6th October 1921.

FROM

P. F. BOWRING, ESQ., J.P.,
Officiating Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

D. SRINIVASA IYENGAR, ESQ., B.A.,
Officiating Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore.

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6. *Manufacturing Branch.*—During the year 5,94,700 General Stamps, 109,253 sheets of Court-fee Stamps, 10,000 sheets of Receipt Stamps, 5,89,943 sheets of Copy Stamps and 45,475 Hundi Stamps of the face value of Rs. 15,29,917-8-0, Rs. 2,223,547-2-0, Rs. 40,000 Rs. 73,742-14-0 and Rs. 54,351-9-0, respectively, were printed in the Stamp Manufactory and 588,237 General Stamps, 108,437 Court-fee Stamps, 10,000 Receipt Stamps, 584,461 Copy Stamps and 45,475 Hundi Stamps of the face value of Rs. 13,95,604-12-0, Rs. 22,01,212-8-0, Rs. 40,000-0-0, Rs. 73,057-10-0 and Rs. 51,351-9-0, respectively, were delivered to the Central Depot.

During the year under report 2,11,160 private documents were got impressed with stamps of the aggregate value of Rs. 36,319-0-0 as against 2,08,426 documents of the value of Rs. 24,151-14-0 in the previous year.

7. *Central Depot.*—In the Central Depot there was an opening balance of 26,30,500 stamps of all kinds of the total value of Rs. 21,05,834-9-0 and these with 32,35,573 stamps of the value of Rs. 36,93,001-14-0 received in the course of the year from the Stamp Manufactory, brought the total up to 58,66,073 stamps of the aggregate value of Rs. 57,98,836-7-0. Of these 25,20,950 stamps of the face value of Rs. 14,83,950-8-0 were issued to the Local Depots, the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury and the Supervisor of the Stamp Superintendent's Office, leaving a balance of 33,45,123 stamps of the value of Rs. 43,14,885-15-0 at the close of the year.

8. Twenty-seven thousand, five hundred and eighty-two stamps of the value of Rs. 1,01,889-15-0 were supplied to the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury as against 37,400 stamps valued at Rs. 1,04,226-4-0 in the previous year.

9. The value of stamps impressed upon documents received from the Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, amounted during the year to Rs. 4,937-9-0 as against Rs. 7,517-4-0 in the previous year.

10. *Stamp Revenue.*—The revenue derived from the sale of stamps of the various kinds and denominations amounted to Rs. 16,16,030-4-3 as against Rs. 16,65,110-12-6 in the previous year thus resulting in a net decrease of Rs. 49,080-8-3. There has been a marked decrease under the head General Stamps which is due to the tightness in the money market and the high rate of interest demanded on loans and a large amount of money invested in the State Loan of 1920 and in various Joint-Stock enterprises. All these causes seem to have brought about a decrease in the number of documentary transactions.

11. *Court-fee Stamps.*—The receipts from the sale of Court-fee Stamps are Rs. 8,12,674-14-0 as against Rs. 8,23,484-15-0 during the previous year thus showing a decrease of Rs. 10,810-1-0. The decrease is noticeable in all the districts except Bangalore and Shimoga, and these are said to be due to the small number of suits instituted in the courts owing to unfavourable seasonal conditions.

12. *General Stamps.*—The sale of General Stamps brought in Rs. 6,20,329-2-0 during 1920-21 as against Rs. 6,83,341-13-0 in 1919-20. The decrease of Rs. 63,012-11-0 is rather large and is contributed by all the districts. This decrease is reported to be due to the economic conditions ruling at present which after the forced activities caused by the War, are assuming steady and normal proportions.

13. *Receipt Stamps.*—The sale of Receipt labels yielded during the year Rs. 48,697-0-0 as against Rs. 44,085-14-0 in the previous year showing an increase of Rs. 4,611-2-0.

14. *Copy Stamps.*—The receipts under Copy Stamps amounted to Rs. 51,945-8-0 as against Rs. 47,701-14-0 resulting in an increase of Rs. 4,243-10-0 which is said to be due to a greater demand for copies by the public than last year.

15. *Share Transfer, Foreign Bill and Hundi Stamps.*—The receipts under these stamps amounted to Rs. 15,313-12-0 as against Rs. 17,487-2-0 in the previous year, resulting in a decrease of Rs. 2,173-6-0.

16. *Stamp Duty and Fines, etc.*—There has been an increase of Rs. 23,646-12-9 under Stamp Duty and a decrease of Rs. 140-0-9 under Fines, Penalties and Miscellaneous. The increase in the former is due to (1) the increased realisations in the Stamp Superintendent's Office on account of impressing a large number of instruments, cheque and receipt books, etc., (2) the large number of documents impounded and adjudicated by the Deputy Commissioners and (3) the stamp duties recovered by the courts on a large number of unstamped and insufficiently stamped documents.

17. *Expenditure.*—The total expenditure in the department amounted during the year under report to Rs. 1,19,094-2-2 as against Rs. 1,04,388-10-9 in 1919-20, thus showing a net increase of Rs. 14,705-7-5. This is mainly due to the purchase of water-marked papers, to the unfavourable rate of exchange and increased freight and clearing charges and also to the high price allowances paid to the officials of the department. The decrease under fines and penalties is too small to call for any remarks.

18. *Inspections.*—All the offices in the Chitaldrug District except Harihar Deputy Amildar's Court and almost all in the Districts of Kolar, Tumkur, Kadur, Hassan and Shimoga were inspected by the *Ex-officio* Inspectors of Stamps during the year under report. A large number of offices remained uninspected in the remaining districts. The Commissioner of Stamps inspected the Stamp Superintendent's Office on 13th and 14th May 1921.

19. *Prosecutions.*—It is reported that no prosecution was instituted during the year under report, for the evasion of Stamp Laws.

20. The Superintendent of Stamps and the Superintendent of Stamp Manufactory continued to work satisfactorily.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

P. F. BOWRING,

Offg. Commissioner of Stamps in Mysore.

No. I.

Comparative statement of Receipts and Charges in the Stamp Department during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

No.	Particulars	1919-20	1920-21	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
	A. RECEIPTS.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1	Court-fee Stamps ...	8,23,484 15 0	8,12,674 14 0	...	10,810 1 0	
2	Copy Stamps ...	47,701 14 0	51,945 8 0	4,243 10 0	...	
3	Three-pie paper ...	5,625 14 3	180 0 0	...	5,445 14 3	
4	General Stamps	6,83,341 13 0	6,20,329 2 0	...	63,012 11 0	
5	Receipt Stamps	44,085 14 0	48,697 0 0	4,611 2 0	...	
6	Transfer Stamps, Foreign Bill Stamps and Hundi Stamps.	17,487 2 0	15,313 12 0	...	2,173 6 0	
7	Stamp Duty	20,441 10 6	44,088 7 3	23,646 12 9	...	
8	Fines, Penalties and Miscellaneous.	22,941 9 9	22,801 9 0	...	140 0 9	
	Total ...	16,65,110 12 6	16,16,030 4 3	32,501 8 9	81,582 1 0	Net decrease of Rs. 49,080-8-3
	B. CHARGES.					
1	Establishment—					
	Stamp Manufactory ...	4,360 7 1	5,743 2 9	1,382 11 8	...	
	Stamp Superintendent's Office.	4,438 3 7	5,668 0 5	1229 12 10	...	
2	Contingencies—					
	Stamp Manufactory ...	1,268 8 0	723 1 6	...	545 6 6	
	Stamp Superintendent's Office.	34,679 9 0	43,066 3 7	8,386 10 7	...	
3	Refunds	17,200 2 0	22,149 9 6	4,949 7 6	...	
4	Discount on sale of stamps and three-pie paper.	42,441 13 1	41,744 0 5	...	697 12 8	
	Total ...	1,04,388 10 9	1,19,094 2 2	15,948 10 7	1,243 3 2	Net increase of Rs. 14,705-7-5

No. II.

Comparative statement of Stock and issue of plain water-marked papers in the Central Depot during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

Particulars	Years	Opening balance	Receipts	Total	Issues	Closing balance	Remarks
		Rolls	Rolls	Rolls	Rolls	Rolls	
General Stamps ...	1919-20	10,27,406	9,46,936	19,74,342	12,04,398	7,69,944	
	1920-21	7,69,944 (sheets)	14,67,750 (sheets)	22,37,694 (sheets)	6,82,916 (sheets)	15,54,778 (sheets)	
Copy Stamp ...	1919-20	4,85,122	9,18,204	14,03,326	6,00,307	8,03,019	
	1920-21	8,03,019	8,34,352	16,37,371	50,013	15,87,358	
Court-fee Stamps ...	1919-20	80,774	5	80,779	56,478	24,301	
	1920-21	24,301	69,085	93,386	37,661	55,725	*These papers were returned by several districts
Receipt Stamps ...	1919-20	1,622	31,976	33,598	16,002	17,596	
	1920-21	17,596	...	17,596	10,000	7,596	
Petition paper ...	1919-20	2,19,960	44,160	2,64,120	2,22,240	41,880	
	1920-21	41,880	*15,360	57,240	...	57,240	

No. III.

Statement showing the number and value of stamps manufactured in the Stamp Manufactory and delivered to the Central Depot during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

Particulars	Years	Stamps manufactured		Stamps delivered		Remarks
		No.	Value	No.	Value	
			Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	
General Stamps	1919-20 ...	11,78,400	9,32,100 0 0	11,78,402	9,32,100 8 0	
	1920-21 ...	5,94,700	15,29,917 8 0	5,88,237	13,95,604 12 0	
Court-fee Stamps	1919-20 ...	81,230	11,83,160 0 0	43,273	3,38,788 2 0	
	1920-21 ...	1,09,253	22,23,547 2 0	1,08,437	22,01,212 8 0	
Receipt Stamps	1919-20 ...	16,000	64,000 0 0	16,000	64,000 0 0	
	1920-21 ...	10,000	40,000 0 0	10,000	40,000 0 0	
Copy Stamps	1919-20 ...	3,18,000	39,750 0 0	45,000	5,625 0 0	
	1920-21 ...	5,89,943	73,742 14 0	5,84,461	73,057 10 0	
Hundi Stamps	1919-20 ...	13,000	11,437 8 0	13,000	11,437 8 0	
	1920-21 ...	45,475	54,351 9 0	45,475	51,361 9 0	
Private documents	1919-20 ...	2,08,428	24,151 14 0	2,08,428	24,151 14 0	
	1920-21 ...	2,11,160	36,319 0 0	2,05,608	35,972 0 0	

No. IV.—Comparative statement of stock and issues of stamps in the Central Depot during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

Particulars	Years	Opening balance		Receipts		Total		Issues		Closing balance	
		Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
			Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
1. Court-fee Stamps	1919—20 ...	9,99,692	10,02,251 14	3,43,004	9,03,019 4	13,42,696	19,05,271 2	8,16,887	9,40,508 0	5,25,809	9,64,763 2
	1920—21 ...	5,25 809	9,64,763 2	13,26,097	20,66,236 6	18,51,906	30,30,999 8	7,17,368	7,98,947 0	11,34,538	22,32,052 0
2. General Stamps	1919—20 ...	9,98.715	9,48,582 0	11,78,334	9,32,062 2	21,77,049	18,80,644 11	10,10,900	5 23,704 2	11,66,149	9,56,940 9
	1920—21 ...	11,66,149	9,56.940 9	5,88,165	13,95,945 12	17,54,314	23,52,886 5	5,40,839	9,46,036 5	12,13,475	18,06,850 0
3. Receipt Stamps	1919—20 ...	5,18,080	32,380 0	10,20,992	63,812 0	15,39,072	96,192 0	9,21,280	57,580 0	6,17,792	38,612 0
	1920—21 ...	6,17,792	38,612 0	6,37,824	39,864 0	12,55 616	78,476 0	7,26,592	45,412 0	5,29,024	33,064 0
4. Transfer Stamps	1919—20 ...	2,501	2,835 10	3,600	1,687 8	6,101	4,523 2	1,511	1,599 4	4,590	2,923 14
	1920—21 ...	4,590	2,923 14	2,299	3,232 2	6,889	6,156 0	2,165	1,790 10	4 724	4,365 6
5. Foreign Bill Stamps	1919—20 ...	2,845	1,833 0	...	.....	2,845	1,833 0	414	118 2	2,431	1,714 14
	1920—21 ...	2,431	1,714 14	...	.....	2,431	1,714 14	414	104 10	2,017	1,610 4
6. Notarial Stamps	1919—20 ...	34	34 0	...	.....	34	34 0	...	.....	34	34 0
	1920—21 ...	34	34 0	...	.....	34	34 0	...	.....	34	34 0
7. Copy Stamps	1919—20 ...	4,92,500	61,562 8	1,44,954	18,119 4	6,37,454	79,681 12	3,77,954	47,244 4	2,59,500	32,437 8
	1920—21 ...	2,59,500	32,437 8	5,84,413	73,051 10	8,43,913	1,05,489 2	4,95,000	61,875 0	3,48,913	43,614 2
8. Eight annas Excise Counterpart Agreement Forms.	1919—20 ...	1,049	524 8	6,001	3,000 8	7,050	3,525 0	4,900	2,450 0	2,150	1,075 0
	1920—21 ...	2,150	1,075 0	6,000	3,000 0	8,150	4,075 0	2,600	1,300 0	5,550	2,775 0
9. Civil and Military Station, Court-fee Stamps.	1919—20 ...	29,932	24,207 4	13,140	8,572 8	43,072	32,779 12	26,640	19,451 4	16,432	13,328 8
	1920—21 ...	16,432	13,328 8	45,306	60,326 10	61,738	73,655 2	24,912	16,715 4	36,826	56,939 14
10. Hundi Stamps	1919—20 ...	45,722	1,09,707 10	12,996	11,433 12	58,718	1,21,141 6	23,105	27,136 4	35,613	94,005 2
	1920—21 ...	35,613	94,005 2	45,469	51,345 6	81,082	1,45,350 8	11,060	11,769 11	70,022	1,33,580 13

No. V.—Statement of monthly receipts of stamps at the Central Depot and issues to the Local Depots and the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury, during the year 1920-21.

Particulars	Receipts						Issues					
	General Stamps		Court-fee Stamps		Receipt Stamps		General Stamps		Court-fee Stamps		Receipt Stamps	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
1920.												
1. July	6,000	3,000 0	2,51,694	55,105 14	...	.....	19,215	27,075 0	16,080	32,695 0	32,000	2,000 0
2. August ...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	19,325	16,475 0	86,425	1,03,137 8	19,200	1,200 0
3. September	...	.....	2,25,000	1,17,000 0	...	.....	1,57,678	1,37,365 0	48,015	41,321 4	38,400	2,400 0
4. October	29,000	51,500 0	36,306	51,326 10	...	.....	1,51,258	1,39,546 10	1,36,072	1,62,215 4	1,79,200	11,200 0
5. November	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	68,680	38,962 8	15,071	18,263 12	...	.....
6. December	71,198	9,39,480 0	2,54,601	13,14,072 0	...	.....	...	.....	83,927	1,22,751 4	1,47,200	9,200 0
1921.												
7. January	11,500	23,000 0	...	.....	...	.....	52,835	1,11,004 6	...	.....	...	.....
8. February	1,12,493	1,21,302 0	78,036	2,93,139 0	...	.....	31,420	29,925 0	1,60,875	1,48,235 0	1,08,800	6,800 0
9. March	2,09,497	1,80,999 4	68,944	1,22,926 0	...	.....	11,050	6,087 8	15,325	17,977 8	16,192	1,012 0
10. April	40,500	40,500 0	99,000	49,500 0	1,60,000	10,000 0	6,815	13,725 10	1,22,365	1,26,970 0	1,53,600	9,600 0
11. May	55,477	31,852 0	72,000	36,000 0	2,88,000	18,000 0	9,808	16,794 11	48,690	31,691 4	...	.....
12. June	58,500	7,312 8	2,85,822	87,493 8	1,89,824	11 864 0	12,755	9,075 0	9,435	10.355 0	32,000	2,000 0
Total ...	5,94,165	13,98,945 12	13,71,403	21,26,563 0	6,37,824	39,864 0	5,40,839	5,46,036 5	7,42,280	8,15,662 12	7,26,592	45,412 0
1919-20 ...	11,84,335	9,35,062 10	3,56,144	9,11,591 12	10,20,992	63,812 0	10,15,800	9,26,154 2	8,43,527	9,59,959 4	9,21,280	57,580 0

No. VI.

Comparative statement of stamp duty realised on private documents, etc., during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21

Particulars	1919-20	1920-21	Remarks
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
1. Bills of Exchange	1,542 8 0	1,318 0 0	The amount of stamp duty on documents which were sent by the Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the Superintendent of Stamps in Mysoye for being impressed with stamps credited in the Hon'ble the Residents Treasury to the Revenue of the Mysore assigned tracts was 4,937-9-0 this year as against Rs. 7,517-4-0 in the previous year.
2. Conveyance	... ...	6,750 0 0	
3. Cheques and Receipt Forms	6,909 2 0	6,586 3 0	
4. Agreements	539 8 0	687 8 0	
5. Powers of Attorney	137 0 0	139 0 0	
6. Other instrument	4,268 5 0	14,830 15 0	The amount of stamp duty on documents sent by the Deputy Commissioners of Districts for being impressed with stamps credited in the District Treasuries was 1,080-8-0 this year as against Rs. 532-2-0 in the previous year.
Total ...	13,396 7 0	30,311 10 0	

No. VII.

Comparative statement of detailed issues of stamps made to the Hon'ble the Resident's Treasury during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21

Denomination	1919-20		1920-21		Denomination	1920-21		1919-20	
	Number	Value	Number	Value		Number	Value	Number	Value
A. Court-fee Stamps.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.			Rs. a.		Rs. a.
1 anna ...	5,400	337 8	4,500	281 4	4½ rupees ...	...	...	25	112 8
4 annas ...	720	180 0	900	225 0	5 ,, ...	500	2,500 0	600	3,000 0
6 ,, ...	630	236 4	450	168 12	7½ ,, ...	20	150 0	5	37 8
8 ,, ...	12,600	6,300 0	5,400	2,700 0	10 ,, ...	150	1,500 0	270	2,700 0
12 ,, ...	1,170	877 8	810	607 8	12½ ,, ...	5	62 8	15	187 8
1 rupee ...	3,690	3,690 0	2,700	2,700 0	15 ,, ...	150	2,250 0	125	1,875 0
2 rupees ...	990	1,980 0	792	1,584 0	20 ,, ...	100	2,000 0	100	2,000 0
3 ,, ...	630	1,890 0	270	810 0	22½ ,, ...	5	112 8	5	112 8
4 ,, ...	450	1,800 0	450	1,800 0	25 ,, ...	50	1,250 0	50	1,250 0
6 ,, ...	360	2,160 0	270	1,620 0	30 ,, ...	50	1,500 0	55	1,650 0
10 ,, ...	100	1,000 0	100	1,000 0	35 ,, ...	25	875 0	10	350 0
15 ,, ...	75	1,125 0	100	1,500 0	40 ,, ...	50	2,000 0	20	800 0
20 ,, ...	50	1,000 0	100	2,000 0	45 ,, ...	55	2,475 0	20	900 0
25 ,, ...	50	1,250 0	100	2,500 0	50 ,, ...	125	6,250 0	35	1,750 0
30 ,, ...	40	1,200 0	50	1,500 0	60 ,, ...	25	1,500 0	18	1,080 0
35 ,, ...	55	1,925 0	30	1,050 0	70 ,, ...	25	1,750 0	15	1,050 0
40 ,, ...	95	3,800 0	50	2,000 0	80 ,, ...	25	2,000 0	20	41,600 0
45 ,, ...	125	5,625 0	100	4,500 0	90 ,, ...	10	900 0	20	1,800 0
50 ,, ...	250	12,500 0	550	27,500 0	100 ,, ...	200	20,000 0	170	1,700 0
70 ,, ...	...	...	...	...					
80 ,, ...	...	...	5	400 0					
100 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	Total ...	9,920	55,350 0	9,423	5,150 15
Total ...	27,480	48,876 4	17,727	56,446 8	D. Notarial Stamps.	...	...	...	... 0
B. Foreign Bill Stamps.	...	...	...	...	E. Transfer Stamp Labels.				
					1 anna ...	...	...	18	1 2
C. General Stamps.					2 annas ...	...	...	54	6 12
2 annas ...	200	25 0	200	25 0	3 ,, ...	...	...	54	10 2
3 ,, ...	500	93 12	500	93 12	4 ,, ...	...	...	36	9 0
4 ,, ...	1,500	375 0	1,500	375 0	8 ,, ...	...	...	90	45 0
6 ,, ...	300	112 8	250	93 12	12 ,, ...	...	...	54	40 8
8 ,, ...	3,000	1,500 0	3,000	1,500 0	1 rupee ...	...	...	90	90 0
9 ,, ...	100	56 4	100	56 4	2 rupees ...	...	...	18	36 0
12 ,, ...	100	75 0	100	75 0	3 ,, ...	...	...	18	54 0
15 ,, ...	200	187 8	125	117 3	4 ,, ...	...	...	...	...
1 rupee ...	1,500	1,500 0	1,100	1,100 0	5 ,, ...	...	...	...	...
1½ rupee ...	200	300 0	150	225 0					
2 rupees ...	250	500 0	300	600 0	Total ...	...	...	432	292 9
2½ ,, ...	200	500 0	150	375 0					
3 ,, ...	150	450 0	220	660 0					
4 ,, ...	150	600 0	150	600 0	Grand Total ...	37,400	1,04,226 4	27,582	1,01,889 15

No. VIII.

Statement showing the balance and sales of stamps and three-pie paper in the State during the year 1920-21.

Particulars	Judicial						Non-Judicial	
	Court-fee		Copy Stamps		Three-pie paper		General Stamps	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
Opening Balance ...	4,83,380	5,36,915 13 0	2,21,318	27,664 12 0	38,648	603 14 0	4,93,436	4,89,722 15 0
Received from Central Depot	7,16,165	7,54,097 8 0	4,93,000	61,625 0 0	...	...	5,65,616	5,18,610 6 0
Received from other sources	424	148 5 0	...	...	...	...	389	307 6 0
Total ...	1,19,9969	1,291,161 10 0	7,14,318	89,289 12 0	38,648	603 14 0	1,059,441	1,008.640 11 0
Issued in exchange ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to the accounts	7,61,366	8,08,334 14 0	4,15,554	51,945 8 0	9,120	142 8 0	7,17,430	6,20,329 2 0
Returned to the Central Depot	1	10 0 0	145	18 2 0	14,880	232 8 0	7	81 12 0
Total ...	7,61,367	8,08,344 14 0	4,15,699	51,963 10 0	24,000	375 0 0	7,17,437	6,20,410 14 0
Closing Balance ...	4,38,602	4,82,816 12 0	2,98,619	37,326 2 0	14,648	228 14 0	3,42,004	3,88,229 13 0

Particulars	Non-Judicial							
	Receipt Stamps		Hundi Stamps		Transfer Stamps		Total	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
Opening Balance ...	4,49,358	28,084 14 0	16,859	25,408 10 0	...	...	1,702,999	1,108,400 14 0
Received from Central Depot	7,26,592	45,412 0 0	11,029	11,444 8 0	...	...	2,512,402	1,391,189 6 0
Received from other sources	...	...	5	6 12 0	...	...	818	462 7 0
Total ...	1,175,950	73,496 14 0	27,893	36,859 14 0	...	...	4,216,219	2,500,052 11 0
Issued in exchange ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to the accounts	7,79,152	48,697 0 0	12,868	14,025 10 0	...	...	2,695,490	1,543,474 10 0
Returned to the Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	15.033	342 6 0
Total ...	7,79,152	48,697 0 0	12,868	14,025 10 0	...	...	2,710,523	1,543,817 0 0
Closing Balance ...	3,96,798	24,799 14 0	15,025	22,834 4 0	...	...	1,505,696	9,56,235 11 0

No. IX.—Statement showing the stock and sale of stamps in the various districts during the year 1920-21.

Particulars	Bangalore		Kolar		Tumkur		Shimoga		Kadur	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
I. General Stamps—										
Opening Balance	88,493	106,332 9	77,452	62,220 8	70,738	54,249 14	27,459	26,127 3	18,272	26,365 12
Received from Central Depot	110,720	113,025 0	94,235	62,000 10	57,775	49,937 8	34,693	36,027 8	26,495	27,438 2
Do other sources	...	...	...	...	168	72 2	34	39 10	84	68 4
Total ...	199,213	219,357 9	171,687	124,221 2	128,681	104,259 8	62,186	62,124 5	44,851	53,872 2
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited in accounts	137,544	135,065 10	94,441	60,503 2	94,905	67,604	34,730	32,808 2	30,058	31,816 12
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1 8
Total ...	137,544	135,065 10	94,441	60,503 2	94,905	67,604 0	34,730	32,808 2	30,062	31,818 4
Closing Balance ...	61,669	84,291 15	77,246	63,718 0	33,776	36,655 8	27,456	29,386 3	14,789	22,053 14
II. Court-fee Stamps—										
Opening Balance	65,096	96,220 4	84,459	78,903 3	45,328	57,092 13	50,074	56,640 13	32,604	31,366 1
Received from Central Depot	137,849	180,520 0	104,750	99,556 4	84,160	60,052 8	82,375	102,363 12	38,301	38,450 0
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	29	2 15	39	2 7	127	45 7
Total ...	202,945	276,743 4	189,209	178,459 7	129,517	117,148 4	132,458	159.007 0	71,032	69,861 8
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited in accounts	144,291	186,554 6	102,113	93,903 6	90,310	77,523 11	75,924	93,998 11	39,394	41,939 12
Do other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	144,291	186,554 6	102,113	93,903 6	90,310	77,523 11	75,924	93,998 11	39,394	41,939 12
Closing Balance ...	58,654	90,188 14	87,096	84,556 1	39,207	39,624 9	56,564	65,008 5	31,638	27,921 12
II. Receipt Stamps—										
Opening Balance	142,887	8,930 7	74,678	4,667 6	30,750	1,921 14	32,567	2,035 7	8,506	531 10
Received from Central Depot	192,000	12,000 0	105,792	6,612 0	51,200	3,200 0	51,200	3,200 0	51,200	3,200 0
Do other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	334,887	20,930 7	180,470	11,279 6	81,950	5,121 14	83,767	5,235 7	59,706	3,731 10
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited in accounts	216,292	13,518 4	94,860	5,928 12	61,550	3,846 14	55,572	3,473 4	43,147	2,696 11
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	216,292	13,518 4	94,860	5,928 12	61,550	3,846 14	55,572	3,473 4	43,147	2,696 11
Closing Balance ...	118,595	7,412 3	85,610	5,350 10	20,400	1,275 0	28,195	1,762 3	16,559	1,034 15

No. IX—*contd.*

Particulars	Chitaldrug		Mysore		Hassan		Total for 1920-21		Total for 1919-20	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
I. General Stamps—										
Opening Balance	22,240	17,690 5	1,39,285	1,43,456 15	4,9497	53,279 13	4,93,436	4,89,722 15	3,20,206	2,31,779 15
Received from Central Depot	52,068	61,641 10	1,39,405	1,35,672 8	50,225	32,867 8	5,65,616	5,18,610 6	9,76,352	8,40,972 6
Do other sources			103	127 6			389	307 6	615	467 6
Total ...	74,308	79,331 15	2,78,793	2,79,256 13	99,722	86,147 5	10,59,441	10,08,640 11	12,97,173	11,73,219 11
Issued in exchange									97	105 0
Sold and credited in accounts	42,997	46,067 8	2,09,880	1,91,462 4	72,875	55,001 12	7,17,430	6,20,329 2	8,03,627	6,83,341 13
Returned to Central Depot	13	80 4					7	81 12	13	49 15
Total ...	43,000	46,147 12	2,09,880	1,91,462 4	72,875	55,001 12	7,17,437	6,20,410 14	8,03,737	6,83,496 12
Closing Balance ...	31,308	33,184 3	68,913	87,794 9	26,847	31,145 9	34,2,004	3,88,229 13	4,93,436	4,89,722 15
II. Court-fee Stamps—										
Opening Balance	22,616	28,479 9	1,29,174	1,39,861 1	54,029	4,8349 1	4,83,380	5,36,915 13	4,42,423	4,51,468 10
Received from Central Depot	80,695	88,662 8	1,39,670	1,37,380	48,365	4,7112 8	7,16,165	7,54,097 8	8,12,152	8,81,511 12
Do from other sources			2290	970 80			424 0	148 5	158	30 6
Total ...	1,03,311	1,17,142 1	2,69,073	2,77,338 9	1,02,394	95,461 9	11,99,969	12,91,161 10	12,54,733	13,33,010 12
Issued in exchange										
Sold and credited in accounts	62,540	72,261 0	1,71,656	1,76,571	75,137	65,573 0	7,61,366	8,08,334 14	7,71,353	7,96,094 15
Returned to Central Depot	1	10 0					1	10 0		
	12									
Total ...	62,541	72,271 0	1,71,656	1,76,571	75,137	65,573 0	7,61,367	8,08,344 14	7,71,353	7,96,094 15
Closing Balance ...	40,770	44,871 1	9.7417	1,00,767 9	27,257	29,888 9	4,38,602	4,82,816 12	4,83,380	5,36,915 13
III. Receipt Stamps—										
Opening Balance	24,831	1,551 15	1,15,722	7,232 10	19,417	1,213 9	4,49,358	28,084 14	2,33,468	14,591 12
Received from Central Depot	51,200	3,200 0	1,92,000	12,000	32,000	2,000 0	7,26,592	45,412 0	9,21,280	57,580 0
Do other sources										
Total ...	76,031	4,751 15	3,07,722	19,232 10	51,417	3,213 9	11,75,950	73,496 14	11,54,748	72,171 12
Issued in exchange										
Sold and credited in accounts	48,758	3,047 6	2,17,391	13,586 15	41,582	2,598 14	7,79,152	48,697 0	7,05,374	44,085 14
Returned to Central Depot										
Total ...	48,758	3,047 6	2,17,391	13,586 15	41,582	2,598 14	7,79,152	48,697 0	7,05,374	44,085 14
Closing Balance ...	27,273	1,704 9	9.0331	5,645 11	9,835	614 11	3,96,798	24,799 14	4,49,374	28,085 14

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Particulars	Bangalore		Kolar		Tumkur		Shimoga		Kadur	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
IV. Hundi Stamps—		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
Opening Balance	9,278	13,867 14	1,125	1,355 10	411	886 0	534	1,013 13	385	957 9
Received from Central Depot	9,434	9,610 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	95 10
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6 12
Total ...	18,712	23,478 0	1,125	1,355 10	411	886 0	534	1,013 13	445	1,059 15
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	9,294	10,693 8	1	2 4	179	174 13	...	...	75	116 6
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	9,294	10,693 8	1	2 4	179	174 13	...	...	75	116 6
Closing Balance ...	9,418	12,784 8	1,124	1,353 6	232	711 3	534	1,013 13	370	943 9
V. Copy Stamps—										
Opening Balance	46,500	5,812 8	29,600	3,700 0	30,400	3,800 0	36,200	4,525 0	10,500	1,312 8
Received from Central Depot	135,000	16.875 0	50,000	6,250 0	37,000	4,625 0	41,000	5,125 0	24,000	3,000 0
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	181,500	22,687 8	79,600	9,950 0	67,400	8,425 0	77,200	9,650 0	34,500	4,312 8
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	86,400	10,800 0	36,200	4,525 0	44,200	5,525 0	46,300	5,787 8	21,100	2,637 8
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	86,400	10,800 0	36,200	4,525 0	44,200	5,525 0	46,300	5,787 8	21,100	2,637 8
Closing Balance ...	95,100	11,887 8	43,400	5,425 0	23,200	2,900 0	30,900	3,862 8	13,400	1,675 0
VI. Three-pie paper—										
Opening Balance	13,440	210 0	1,440	22 8	4,800	75 0	6,240	97 8	3,360	52 8
Received from Central depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	13,440	210 0	1,440	22 8	4,800	75 0	6,240	97 8	3,360	52 8
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	960	15 0	1,440	22 8	2,400	37 8	3,360	52 8	960	15 0
Returned to Central Depot	12,480	195 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,400	37 8
Total ...	13,440	210 0	1,440	22 8	2,400	37 8	3 360	52 8	3,360	52 8
Closing Balance ...	...	...	...	...	2,400	37 8	2,880	45	...	...

No. IX—*concld.*

Particulars	Chitaldrug		Mysore		Hassan		Total for 1920-21		Total for 1919-20	
	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value
IV. Hundi Stamps—		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
Opening Balance	405	946 4	4,418	5,477 11	303	903 13	16,859	25,408 10	8,735	14,383 8
Received from Central Depot	...	...	1,350	1,687 8	190	51 4	11,029	11,444 8	22,916	27,098 4
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6 12	..	...
Total ...	405	946 4	5,768	7,165 3	493	955 1	27,893	36,859 14	31,651	41,481 12
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	...	...	3,302	3,032 7	17	6 4	12,868	14,025 10	14,792	16,073 2
Returned to Central Depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	3,302	3,032 7	17	6 4	12,868	14,025 10	14,792	16,073 2
Closing Balance ...	405	946 4	2,466	4,132 12	476	948 13	15,025	22,834 4	16,859	25,408 10
V. Copy Stamps—										
Opening Balance	12,010	1,501 4	42,580	5,322 8	13,528	1,691 0	221,318	27,664 12	225,016	28,127 0
Received from Central Depot	10,000	1,250 0	155,000	19,375 0	41,000	5,125 0	49,300	61,625 0	3,78,019	47,252 6
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Total ...	22,010	2,751 4	197,580	24,697 8	54,528	6,816 0	714,318	89,289 12	603,035	75,379 6
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	16,000	2,000 0	127,836	15,979 8	37,528	4,691 0	415,554	51,945 8	381,615	47,701 14
Return to Central depot	85	10 10	60	7 8	...	...	145	18 2	102	12 12
Total ...	16,085	2,010 10	127,896	15,987 0	37,528	4,691 0	415,699	51,963 10	381,717	47,714 1
Closing Balance ...	5,925	740 10	69,684	8,710 8	17,000	2,125 0	298,619	37,326 2	221,318	27,664 12
VI. Three-pies paper—										
Opening Balance	...	...	9,368	146 6	...	..	38,648	603 14	220,728	3,448 14
Received from Central depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	222,677	3,479 5 3
Do from other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	9,368	146 6	...	...	38,648	603 14	443,405	6,928 3 3
Issued in exchange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sold and credited to accounts	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,120	142 8	360,057	5,625 14 3
Returned to Central depot	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,880	232 8	44,700	698 7
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,000	375 0	404,757	6,324 5 3
Closing Balance ...	...	...	9,368	146 6	...	...	14,648	228 14	38,648	603 14

No. X.

Comparative statement of the detailed sale of Judicial Stamps during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

Particulars	1919-20				1920-21			
	Number	Value			Number	Value		
		Rs.	a.	p.		Rs.	a.	p.
Court-fee Stamps—								
1 anna	1,40,991	8,811	15	0	1,38,574	8,660	14	0
4 annas	55,863	13,965	12	0	56,177	14,044	4	0
6 ,, ...	12,992	4,872	0	0	12,844	4,816	8	0
8 ,, ...	3,94,083	1,97,041	8	0	3,91,416	1,95,707	11	0
12 ,, ...	37,461	28,095	12	0	35,657	26,742	12	0
1 rupee	76,641	76,641	0	0	75,936	75,936	0	0
2 rupees	12,855	25,710	0	0	12,529	25,058	0	0
3 ,, ...	11,379	34,137	0	0	10,545	31,635	0	0
4 ,, ...	8,013	32,052	0	0	7,278	29,112	0	0
6 ,, ...	7,443	44,658	0	0	6,905	41,430	0	0
10 ,, ...	4,663	46,630	0	0	4,665	46,650	0	0
12½ ,, ...	409	5,112	8	0	360	4,500	0	0
15 ,, ...	2,618	39,270	0	0	2,513	37,695	0	0
17½ ,, ...	185	3,237	8	0	178	3,115	0	0
20 ,, ...	1,332	26,640	0	0	1,277	25,540	0	0
22½ ,, ...	211	4,747	8	0	192	4,320	0	0
25 ,, ...	583	14,575	0	0	543	13,575	0	0
27½ ,, ...	112	3,080	0	0	89	2,447	8	0
30 ,, ...	726	21,780	0	0	709	21,270	0	0
32½ ,, ...	35	1,137	8	0	28	910	0	0
35 ,, ...	313	10,955	0	0	312	10,920	0	0
37½ ,, ...	66	2,475	0	0	54	2,025	0	0
40 ,, ...	352	14,080	0	0	334	13,360	0	0
42½ ,, ...	27	1,147	8	0	15	637	8	0
45 ,, ...	209	9,855	0	0	208	9,360	0	0
47½ ,, ...	29	1,377	8	0	13	617	8	0
50 ,, ...	783	39,150	0	0	492	24,600	0	0
60 ,, ...	163	9,780	0	0	238	14,280	0	0
70 ,, ...	104	7,280	0	0	145	10,150	0	0
80 ,, ...	131	10,480	0	0	172	13,800	0	0
90 ,, ...	119	10,710	0	0	121	10,390	0	0
100 ,, ...	740	74,000	0	0	838	83,800	0	0
Total ..	7,71,641	8,23,484	15	0	7,61,361	8,08,334	14	0
Copy Stamps	3,81,615	47,701	14	0	4,15,464	51,945	8	0
Three-pie paper ..	36,057	5,625	14	3	9,120	142	8	0
Grand Total ..	15,13,313	8,76,812	11	3	11,85,949	8,60,412	14	0

No. XI.—Comparative statement of the detailed sale of non-judicial Stamps during the years 1919-20 and 1920-21.

Particulars	1919-20		1920-21	
	Number	Value	Number	Value
		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
General Stamps—				
2 annas	75,440	9,430 0 0	60,971	7,621 6 0
3 „	2,404	450 12 0	2,188	410 4 0
4 „	2,90,018	72,504 8 0	2,58,483	64,620 12 0
6 „	891	334 2 0	831	311 10 0
8 „	2,31,135	1,15,567 8 0	2,09,207	1,04,603 8 0
Do Excise Agreement Forms	4,347	2,173 8 0	4,006	2,003 0 0
9 annas ..	417	234 9 0	380	213 12 0
10 „	103	64 6 0	101	63 2 0
12 „	412	309 0 0	332	249 0 0
15 „	226	211 14 0	234	219 6 0
1 rupee	1,07,598	1,07,598 0 0	97,541	97,541 0 0
1⅛ „	33	37 2 0	15	16 14 0
1¼ „	2	2 8 0	2	2 8 0
1½ „	12,650	18,975 0 0	11,321	16,981 8 0
2 „	30,490	60,980 0 0	28,043	56,086 0 0
2¼ „	30	67 8 0	34	76 8 0
2½ „	4,441	11,102 8 0	4,195	10,487 8 0
3 „	14,856	44,568 0 0	13,315	39,945 0 0
3½ „	273	955 8 0	225	787 8 0
4 „	8,361	33,444 0 0	7,457	29,828 0 0
4½ „	247	1,111 8 0	140	630 0 0
5 „	11,299	56,495 0 0	10,808	54,040 0 0
7½ „	574	4,305 0 0	574	4,305 0 0
10 „	3,734	37,340 0 0	3,602	36,020 0 0
12½ „	78	975 0 0	70	875 0 0
15 „	1,279	19,185 0 0	1,207	18,105 0 0
17½ „	10	175 0 0	10	175 0 0
20 „	918	18,360 0 0	897	17,940 0 0
22½ „	7	157 8 0	4	90 0 0
25 „	384	9,600 0 0	322	8,050 0 0
27½ „	8	220 0 0	1	27 8 0
30 „	280	8,400 0 0	268	8,040 0 0
32½ „	..	..	..	..
35 „	56	1,960 0 0	48	1,680 0 0
37½ „	..	..	3	112 8 0
40 „	80	3,200 0 0	117	4,680 0 0
42½ „	2	95 0 0	1	42 8 0
45 „	28	1,260 0 0	28	1,260 0 0
47½ „	3	142 8 0	..	..
50 „	112	5,600 0 0	132	6,600 0 0
60 „	54	3,280 0 0	74	4,440 0 0
70 „	40	2,800 0 0	49	3,430 0 0
80 „	32	2,560 0 0	26	2,080 0 0
90 „	34	3,060 0 0	6	540 0 0
100 „	241	24,100 0 0	146	14,600 0 0
Total ..	8,03,627	6,83,341 13 0	7,17,434	6,20,330 6 0
Receipt Stamps:—	7,05,374	44,085 14 0	7,79,152	48,697 0 0
Hundi Stamps—				
2 Annas	7	0 14 0	6	0 12 0
3 „	234	43 14 0	167	31 5 0
4 „	3	0 12 0	8	2 0 0
6 „	1,068	400 8 0	859	322 2 0
8 „	7	3 8 0	13	6 8 0
9 „	3,470	1,951 14 0	3,220	1,811 4 0
12 „	843	632 4 0	500	375 0 0
15 „	3,220	3,018 12 0	2,939	2,755 5 0
1⅛ Rupee	3,254	3,660 12 0	2,710	3,048 12 0
1½ „	784	1,176 0 0	628	942 0 0
2¼ „	1,500	3,375 0 0	1,542	3,469 8 0
4½ „	402	1,809 0 0	278	1,251 0 0
Total ..	14,792	16,073 2 0	1,2879	14,061 10 0

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Particulars	1919-20		1920-21	
	Number	Value	Number	Value
Foreign Bill Stamps—				
3 annas	200	37 8 0	..	..
4 ,, ...	..	..	..	..
6 ,, ...	90	33 12 0	..	..
8 ,, ...	..	..	..	..
12 ,, ...	42	31 8 0	..	..
2 rupees	..	..	..	..
4 ,, ...	..	..	..	..
Total..	332	102 12 0	..	..
Transfer Stamps—				
2 annas	90	11 4 0	..	..
4 ,, ...	332	83 0 0	..	..
8 ,, ...	306	153 0 0	..	..
12 ,, ...	..	..	..	..
1 rupee	306	306 0 0	..	..
2 ,, ...	74	148 0 0	..	..
3 ,, ...	..	..	..	..
4 ,, ...	5	20 0 0	..	..
5 ,, ...	118	590 0 0	..	..
Total..	1,231	1,311 4 0	..	..

No. XII.—Statement showing the stamp inspection work done by the *Ex-officio* Inspectors of Stamp during 1920-21.

District	Name of office inspected	Date of inspection	Office remaining uninspected
Hassan	1 Hole-Narasipur Sub-division Magistrate.	16-6-1921	1 Hassan Munsiff's Court
	2 Do Taluk Court ...	19-2-1921	2 ,, Treasury
	3 Do Taluk Treasury ...	20-2-1921	3 ,, Magistrate's Court
	4 Do Munsiff's Court ...	20-2-1921	4 ,, District Treasury
	5 Hassan Bench Magistrate's Court.	14-5-1921	
	6 Do Sub-Division Court...	28-6-1921	
	7 Do Taluk Court ...	28-6-1921	
	8 Arsikere Taluk Court ...	11-5-1921	
	9 Do Treasury ...	11-5-1921	
	10 Channarayapatna Treasury ...	19-1-1921	
	11 Do Magistrate's Court ...	19-1-1921	
	12 Arkalgud Taluk Treasury ...	30-4-1921	
	13 Do Magistrate's Court...	30-4-1921	
	14 Manjarabad do ...	8-3-1921	
	15 Do Treasury ...	8-3-1921	
	16 Do Sub-Division Magistrate Court. ...	27-4-1921	
	17 Belur Taluk do ...	19-4-1921	
	18 Do Treasury ...	16-3-1921	
	19 Alur Sub-Taluk Court ...	29-6-1921	

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District	Name of office inspected	Date of inspection	Office remaining uninspected
Shimoga	1 Thirthahalli Taluk Treasury.	17-1-1921	1 Shimoga Taluk Treasury
	2 Do Sub-Registrar's Office.	do	2 Nagar do
	3 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	4 Do Revenue Records ...	do	
	5 Shikarpur Taluk Treasury ...	10-2-1921	
	6 Do Sub-Registrar's Office...	do	
	7 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	8 Shikarpur Revenue Records...	10-2-1921	
	9 Honalli Taluk Treasury ...	8-3-1921	
	10 Do Sub-Registrar's Office.	do	
	11 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	12 Do Revenue Records ...	do	
	13 Channagiri Taluk Treasury ...	14-3-1921	
	14 Do Sub-Registrar's Office...	do	
	15 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	16 Do Revenue Records ...	do	
	17 Sagar Taluk Treasury ...	24-3-1921	
	18 Do Sub-Registrar's Office....	do	
	19 Sorab Taluk Treasury ...	29-3-1921	
	20 Do Sub-Registrar's Office.	do	
	21 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	22 Do Revenue Records ...	do	
Mysore	1 Gundlupet Taluk Treasury ...	29-1-21	1 Mysore City Magistrate's Court
	2 Do Magistrate's Court ...	do	2 Do Ist Munsiff's Court
	3 Do Amildar's Office ...	do	3 Do 2nd do
	4 Do Bench Magistrate,s Court.	do	4 do Sub-Judge's Court, Mysore
	5 Hunsur Taluk Treasury ...	9-2-1921	5 District Judge's Court
	6 Do Amildar's Office ..	do	6 Deputy Commissioner's Office
	7 Do Taluk Magistrate's Court.	do	7 Bench Magistrate's Court
	8 Do Special IInd Class Magistrate's Court.	do	8 Do Spl. IInd Class Magistrate's Court.
	9 Heggadadevankote Taluk Treasury.	11-2-21	9 Taluk Treasury, Mysore
	10 Do Amildar's Office ..	13-2-21	10 Taluk Magistrate's Court
	11 Do Taluk Magistrate's Court.	do	11 Malvalli Taluk Treasury
	12 Do Bench do ...	do	12 Do Magistrate's Court
	13 Yelandur Taluk Magistrate's Court	8-3-1921	13 District Magistrate's Court, Mysore.
	14 Do Bench do ...	do	
	15 Chamrajnagar Taluk Treasury.	9-3-1921	
	16 Do Taluk Magistrate's Court.	do	
	17 Do Amildar's Office ...	do	
	18 Do Bench Magistrate's Court.	do	
	19 Mandya Taluk Treasury ...	29-3-1921	
	20 Do Magistrate's Court ..	do	
	21 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	22 Do Spl. IInd Class Magistrate's Court.	do	
	23 Nagamangala Taluk Treasury.	4-4-1921	
	24 Do Magistrate's Court ...	do	
	25 Do Bench do ..	do	
	26 Yedetore Taluk Treasury ..	18-5-1921	
	27 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	28 Nanjangud Taluk Treasury ..	8-6-1921	
	29 Do IInd Class Magistrate's Court.	do	
	30 Do Amildar's Office ..	do	
	31 Do Bench Magistrate's Court.	do	
	32 Do Sub-Division do ..	9-6-1921	
	33 Seringapatam Taluk, Treasury.	24-6-21	
	34 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	35 Do Taluk do ..	do	
	36 Do Munsiff's Court ..	26-6-1921	
	37 French Rocks Spl. IInd Class Magistrate's Court.	25-6-1921	
	38 Do Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	39 Do Sub-Division do, ..	do	
	40 Krishnarajpete Taluk Treasury	27-6-1921	
	41 Do Bench Magistrate's Court.	do	

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District	Name of offices inspected	Date of inspection	Offices remaining uninspected
Kadur.	1 Tarikere Taluk Treasury ...	29-11-1920	
	2 Do Spl. IInd Class Magistrate's Court.	13-12-1920	1 Kalasa Bench Magistrate's Court
	3 Tarikere Amildar's Office ...	13-12-1920	2 Koppa Bench Magistrate's Court
	4 Do Bench do ...	do	
	5 Narasimharajapura Deputy Amildar Magistrate's Court	6-1-1921	
	6 Narasimharajapura Bench Magistrate's Court.	do	
	7 Do Munsiff's Court ...	do	
	8 Kadur Taluk Treasury ...	8-2-1921	
	9 Koppa do ...	14-3-1921	
	10 Sringeri Bench Magistrate's Court.	30-4-1921	
	11 Kadur do ...	24-5-1921	
	12 „ District Treasury ...	17-6-1921	
	13 Chickmagalur Munsiff's Court	29-6-1921	
	14 „ Spl. I Class Magistrate's Court.	do	
	15 „ Bench Magistrate's Court	do	
	16 „ District do ...	do	
	17 „ Sub-Division Magistrate's Court.	30-6-1921	
Kolar.	1 Kolar Taluk Amildar's Office and Court.	16-6-1921	
	2 Bowringpet do do ...	25-6-1921	1 Kolar Munsiff's Court
	3 Chintamani do do ...	4-11-1920	2 Kolar Gold Fields do
	4 Srinivaspur do do ...	26-5-1921	3 Do Spl. Magistrate's Court
	5 Mulbagal do do ...	15-5-1921	
	6 Sidlaghatta do do ...	27-5-1921	
	7 Chikballapur do do ...	19-1-1921	
	8 Chikballapur Amildar's Office and Court.	29-11-1921	
	9 Goribidnur do ...	18-12-1920	
	10 Malur do ...	30-5-1921	
	11 Gudibanda do ...	20-1-1921	
	12 Kolar Sub-Division Magistrate's Court.	28-6-1921	
	13 Chikballapur do ...	4-2-1921	
	14 Chintamani do ...	31-2-1921	
	15 Chikballapur Munsiff's Court	5-2-1921	
Chitaldrug.	1 Jaglur Amildar Magistrate's Court.	10-2-1921	
	2 Do Taluk Treasury ...	do	1 Harihar Deputy Amildar Magistrate's Court
	3 Hirur do ...	28-2-1921	
	4 Do Magistrate's Court ...	1-3-1921	
	5 Chellakere do ...	3-3-1921	
	6 Do Taluk Treasury ...	do	
	7 Holalkere do ...	26-3-1921	
	8 Do Magistrate's Court ...	do	
	9 Molakalmuru do ...	7-5-1921	
	10 Do Taluk Treasury ...	do	
	11 Davangere do ...	14-6-1921	
	12 Do Magistrate's Court ...	do	
	13 Do Munsiff's Court ...	15-6-1921	
	14 Do Sub-Division Ist Class Magistrate's Court	do	
	15 Hosadurga Taluk Magistrate's Court.	20-6-1921	
	16 Do Taluk Treasury ...	do	
	17 Chitaldrug Taluk Magistrate's Court.	28-6-1921	
	18 Do Munsiff's Court ...	30-6-1921	
	19 Do Sub-Division Ist Class Magistrate's Court ...	30-6-1921	

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District	Name of offices inspected	Date of inspection	Offices remaining uninspected
Bangalore.	1 Stamp Vendor Postmaster, Closepet.	18-6-1921	All the Revene, Criminal and Civil Courts in the District.
	2 Do Closepet ...	18-6-1921	Mr. Hassan Ali was in temporary charge of the District Excise Office from 24-11-1920 to 18-1-1921 and permanently from 1-2-1921 to end of the official year.
Tumkur.	1 Gubbi Taluk Treasury and Court.	11-1-1921	
	2 Sira Taluk Treasury and Court.	2-2-1921	
	3 Tiptur Taluk Treasury and Court.	11-2-1921	1 Sub-Division Offices of Tumkur, Gubbi and Maddagiri
	4 Chiknayakanhalli do ...	22-2-1921	2 Munsiffs' Courts at Tumkur and Maddagiri
	5 Turuvekere Court ...	14-3-1921	3 Koratagere Sub-Taluk Office
	6 Kunigal Taluk Treasury and Court.	30-3-1021	
	7 Pavagada Taluk Treasury and Court.	2-5-1921	
	8 Maddagiri Taluk do ...	9-5-1921	
	9 Tumkur Taluk Court ...	22-6-1921	
	10 Bench Magistrate's Court ...	23-6-1921	

No. XIII.

Statement of prosecutions instituted for the evasion of Stamp Laws in the Mysore State during the year 1920-21.

District	Number of cases instituted	Number of persons			Amount of fines imposed	Amount of rewards disposed	Remarks
		Brought to trial	Convicted	Acquitted			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Bangalore							
2. Kolar							
3. Tumkur							
4. Shimoga			*Nil.*				
5. Kadur							
6. Chitaldrug							
7. Mysore							
8. Hassan							
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..
Total for 1919-20 ...	..	...	..	..	....	..	...

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